

DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE DIRECTIVE NO. 6/2<sup>1</sup>ELECTRONICS INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE (ELINT Committee)  
(Effective 21 October 1958)

1. Pursuant to the objectives and provisions of NSCID 1 and NSCID 6 there is established the Electronics Intelligence Committee (ELINT Committee) as a standing committee of the United States Intelligence Board (hereinafter referred to as the Board) to advise, assist and generally to act for the Board in matters involving electronics intelligence (ELINT) in accordance with policies approved by the Board.

*Functions and Responsibilities*

2. The responsibility of the ELINT Committee extends to those ELINT matters within the jurisdiction of the Board. The Committee shall undertake the implementation of decisions and make recommendations to members of the Intelligence Community represented on the Board or to other appropriate U.S. officials. Any action or recommendation involving the establishment of policy shall be referred promptly to the Board.

3. The ELINT Committee shall:

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*Organization and Procedures*

4. The ELINT Committee shall be composed of a representative from each Board member department or agency, to be designated by the Board member of that department or agency.

5. The Chairman of the ELINT Committee shall be designated by the DCI with the concurrence of the Board.

6. The Committee shall be provided with a full time Technical Assistant. An Executive Secretary and necessary secretarial services shall be provided from the Secretariat of the Board.

<sup>1</sup> This Directive supersedes CIBD No. 17.

7. The ELINT Committee shall meet upon the call of the Chairman at the request of any of its members.

8. Items may be placed on the agenda of the ELINT Committee by the Board, by any member of the ELINT Committee, or by the Board Secretariat. A member submitting an item for consideration must forward it to the Executive Secretary sufficiently in advance of the meeting at which he desires the item to be considered to permit its being known to all Committee members at least two working days prior to that meeting. In the absence of such advance notice, items submitted by a member may be considered only with the consent of the other members.

9. The ELINT Committee shall reach its decisions by agreement. When the Chairman determines that a given position on a matter under consideration represents the consensus of the Committee, it shall be considered as agreed unless a member requests that the issue be referred to the Board. Upon such a request the Chairman shall refer the matter to the Board, together with a statement of the views and recommendations of the Committee members.

10. Actions of the ELINT Committee shall be coordinated fully with the Board COMINT Committee on matters involving both COMINT and ELINT.

11. The Chairman of the ELINT Committee will assure that the Board is informed promptly of the Committee's decisions, recommendations, and actions.

12. The ELINT Committee shall establish such standing or ad hoc subcommittees as it deems necessary.

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